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Case No. 8627/487 (PA-5391RFB)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Constantin Cope, et al.

Serial No.: 10/813/806

Attention: Manager,  
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In accordance with the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted dated June 10, 2004, a copy of which is attached, enclosed herewith for filing are the following documents:

- Fully executed Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney for the above-referenced patent application.
- Applicant:
  - claims small entity status. See 37 CFR1.27.
  - is other than small entity
- Checks totaling \$560.00 for:
  - Filing Fee of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

- Surcharge of \$130.00.
- Additional Claim Fees of \$\_\_\_\_\_.
- Petition for Extension of Time (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)) to file missing parts (in duplicate).
- Other: Replacement Drawings (5 sheets).
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Dated:

Oct. 12, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

  
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### Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
  - The drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwriting, interlineations, folds, and copy marks. See Figure(s) 1, 2, 3, 4, 5a, 5b, 6-8, 11.

### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity

- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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